



BULLS IN A FRIGHT

The Ann Arbor Receivership Causes a Big Scare

AND BEARS PROFITED BY IT

But on the Whole the Losses Were Small and the Market Closed Rather Weak.

New York, April 29.—Money on call nominally 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, \$164.69 per cent.

Post office rates, 1.66¢ & 2.5¢.

Government bonds firmer.

A fair amount of business was done at the stock exchange for a half holiday. The dealers footed up 197,717 shares, of which 40,770 were unlisted. The temper of speculation was decidedly bearish, owing to the expectation of a loss in the bank reserve and the receivership proceedings in the case of the Toledo & Ann Arbor road. The stock of the latter rose to 70 cents, then closed at 68 1/2 cents of 2 points for the week. The bears found it difficult to make an impression on prices. In a majority of instances the losses were 1/4 per cent. There were several which rallied. Most of them, however, were very pronounced. Monday will be a holiday in Chicago and London, and this influenced some of the smaller operators who had stocks to sell them out.

New York Produce.

New York, April 29.—Flour—Dull and steady; winter wheat, low grades, \$2.10¢ & 2.25¢ per bushel.

Wheat—Fairly active, closing firm. No. 2 red winter, \$2.10¢; No. 70, July, \$2.10¢; August, \$2.10¢; September, \$2.10¢; October, \$2.10¢; Coast, Dull, No. 2, 49¢. Closing, May, 49¢; July, 50¢; August, 50¢.

Oats—Quiet firm. Spot prices: No. 2, 36¢; No. 2 white, 41¢.

Rice—Quiet and easy; western steam closed at \$1.40; asked price, 87.75¢.

Powdered—Fair and easy; extra fine, 20¢; new mess, 8.1¢.

Cheese—Fair demand; steady; old, 90¢; new, 9¢; fancy, old, 11¢; fancy, new, 12¢.

Shortening—Options opened steady at 56¢ per pound; advance; closed steady at 60¢ per pound. Spot Rice oil dull and steady; No. 7, 15¢; 15¢.

Sugar—Raw, firm; firmer; quiet; fair reining; 3/4¢ centrifugals, 96¢ deg. test, 4¢; refined fairly active; firm; No. 6, 43¢ & 43¢.

Chocolate.

Chicory—Washed, medium, 24¢; washed, 25¢.

Washed, fine, 25¢.

Unwashed, medium, 15¢; 20¢.

Unwashed, fine, 18¢.

Hides and Tallow.

Cured hides, No. 1, 45¢; No. 2, 35¢.

Green hides, No. 1, 35¢; No. 2, 25¢.

Heavy steers, cured, over 100 pounds, 65¢.

Calf, green, No. 1, 25¢; No. 2, 20¢.

Dacons, 25¢.

Tallow—Rough, 15¢ per pound.

Rendered, 45¢ per pound.

Sheep pelts, 7¢ to 15¢.

Hay and Wood.

Timothy—\$11.00 per ton.

Clover—\$11 per ton.

Mixed—\$11 per ton.

Straw—\$6 per ton.

Wood—15 inch beech and maple, dry, 82¢ per cord; green, 82¢ per cord.

Building Materials.

Wire nail, rate, \$1.75 to \$1.90.

Glass, discounts, 75¢.

Building paper, per roll, 4¢ to 5¢.

Wire mesh, 10¢ to 15¢ per square yard.

Lumber—Retail piece stuff.

No. 1 hemlock, up and including 16 feet lengths, \$12; add \$1 per 1,000 feet for every additional two feet.

No. 2 hemlock, up to and including 16 feet, \$12; add \$1 per 1,000 feet for every additional two feet.

Common Norway pine, mixed and scatting, under 12 inches, \$14.50 per 1,000 feet; 12 inches, \$16.50 per 1,000 feet; add \$1 per 1,000 feet for every additional two feet over 16 feet.

Shipping culs—\$12.

Mill culs—\$12.

Shingles—\$12.

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